THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1889.

SIX DOLLARS PER QUARTER

#### Banks.

THE "NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL .....£2,000,000 PAID-UP CAPITAL ...... £ 580,000.

Head Office .....40, Threadneedle Street. West End Office ......25, Cockspur Street. BRANCHES IN INDIA, PERSIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives Money on DEPOSIT. Buys and Sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE, ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards BILLS for COLLECTION, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.

ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per Cent, per Annum on the Daily Balance.

AGENCY DEPARTMENT: For the convenience of those returning to Europe an Agency Department has been added to the ordinary business of the Bank for the transaction of Personal Agency of every description.

Pay and Pensions collected. Baggage cleared, warehoused or forwarded. Insurances effected. Circular Notes and Letters of Credit issued.

GENCY, OF THE NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

H. A. HERBERT, Manager. HONGKONG BRANCE.

#### RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS

BANK. 1.—THE BUSINESS of the above BANK will be conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on their premises in Hongkong. Business Hours on WEEK-DAYS, 10 to'3; SATURDAYS, 10 to 1. 2.—SUMS LESS THAN \$1, or MORE THAN \$250 at one time will not be received. No

Depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—DEPOSITORS in the SAVINGS BANK, having \$100, or more, at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the HONG-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on fixed deposit for 12

months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—INTEREST at the rate of 31 % per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances. 5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis

with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries them. selves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6.—CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7.-WITHDRAWALS may be madeon demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his PASS-BOOK, are

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, ... G. E. NOBLE,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, 1st January, 1889.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL .....\$7,500,000. RESERVE FUND ...... 4,400,000. PROPRIETORS 7,500,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS :-CHAIRMAN-W. H. FORBES, Esq. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. S.C.MICHARLSEN, Esq. W. G. BRODIE, Esq. J. S. MOSES, Esq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq.

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For 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Securities,

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G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 24th August, 1889.

#### NOTICE.

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THE Undersigned have this day been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the sale of these PERFECT DISINFECTANTS, and are prepared to supply quantities to suit purchasers, at Wholesale Prices, Extra Special terms for Shipping and large Orders.

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Sanitary Engineer, Local Government Board London, says "It is the best Disinfectant in use." W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co., Bank Buildings 5 Hongkong, 19th June, 1888,

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LARGE STOCK OF CHRISTY'S & TOWNEND'S FELT HATS, in all the latest London Shapes, in Black, Brown, Fawn, Nutria, Slate. CLOTH CAPS. Single and Double TERAI HATS, from \$2.50. PEARL SHELL HATS. TWEED HATS.

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Hongkong, 17th September, 18 9.

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WE ARE NOW SHOWING OUR FIRST DELIVERIES

DRUSSELS, VELVET and WILTON CARPETS, Newest Designs in FURNITURE and

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WE have just opened out our NEW AUTUMN GOODS consisting, of a large and choice having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees selection of COATINGS for MORNING and EVENING DRESS.

A very stylish lot of TWEEDS, new in design and material, and a varied assortment of

TROUSERING in all the newest patterns. Hongkong, 14th September; 1879.

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HAS JUST RECEIVED. TEW BROADWOOD PIANOS, KIRKMAN PIANOS, MONINGTON AND. WESTON PIANOS,

All Iron-framed Trichord throughout, from Cash \$250 or easy payments of \$10 per month For Sale Good Iron Back English PIANOS, that have been on hire for Short Periods, from \$150.

LADIES' AND GENTS' FOCKET-BOOKS and NOTE CASES, CARD CASES, and TOILET CASES, in great variety.
SETS of LEATHER DINNER MATS. ALBUMS SPLENDIDLY ILLUMINATED, very handsome.

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SELECTED LIST OF CHEAP POPULAR NOVELS & STANDARD WORKS. LEOPATRA, by Rider Haggard-Illus- Westcott's, Gospel of the Resurrection, \$1. trated, 40 cents. Bella Demonia, by Selina Dolario, 40 cents. John Ward, Preacher, by Margaret Deland, 40 cts. Mystery of a Hansom Cab, 40 cents. Medame Midas, by the same Author, 40 cents. The Piccadilly Puzzle, by the same Author, 40 cts. Mr. Isaacs, by F. Marian Crawford, \$1. Dr. Claudius.

Margio's Crucifix, A Roman Singer, Saracinesca. Paul Patoff. Tale of a Lonely Parish, do. Greisenstein. Robert Elsmere, \$1. Drat the Boys, by Max O'Rell, 75 cents, East Lynne, by Mrs. Hy Wood, 30 cents. Derrick Vaughan, by Edna Lyall, 30 cents. Struck Down, by Hawley Smart, 40 cents. The Standard Opera Glass, detailed plots of go celebrated operas, 75 cents. She, by Rider Haggard-Illustrated, 35 cents. Paul Jones, by Alex. Dumas, 40 cents. We Two, by Edna Lyall, 6; cents. Pretty Polly Pemberton, by Mrs. Burnett, 40 cts.

Trench's English Past and Present, 60 cents. Arnold's Light of Asia, 30 cents. Chas/Kingsley's Town Geology, 25 cents. Tyndail's Lectures on Electricity, 25 cents. Keary's Dawn of History, 25 cents.
Illusions, by James Sully, 50 cents.
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### FOR SALE.

MARTINI-HENRI, MATCH RIFLES.

Hamerton's French and English, \$1.

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Hongkong, 9th September, 1889.

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VERNIERS, VENTOMETERS, RIFLE-BARREL CLEANERS, SHOOTING CASES, fitted with Paints, &c., RIFLE LOADING and CLEANING SETS, ORTHOPTICS.

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LAUNCH ENGINE & BOILER suitable for Launch 50 feet long.

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WELLBURN," on R. B. L. No. 57, has a splendid view, is built of Teak

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#### Consignees.

THE CHINA'SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY; LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship.

of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns. of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before NOON, on the 24th instant, or they will not be

. All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 24th instant, at 4 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 24th

inst., will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before NOON, TO-DAY, the 18th inst.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, 18th September, 1889.

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. CHAS. D. HARMAN,

Hongkong, 17th September, 1889.

# Shipping.

STEAMERS.

FOR MACAO. THE Steam-launch

"ALIÇE" will leave the P. & O. Co.'s Old Wharf for Macao at 7.30 O'CLOCK TO-MORROW MORN-ING, leaving . Macao on the return journey at

The "ALICE" is a capital sea boat, and has excellent accommodation for European Pas-

Hongkong, 19th September, 1889. DOUGLAS STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship "HAITAN," Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the

above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 20th instant, at 10 A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 17th September, 1889. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HAVRE, LONDON AND HAMBURG,

HE Steamship

THE Steamship

"FLINTSHIRE," Dwyer, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports, on or about the 28th September. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 18th September, 1889. FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

"AT BANY" E. Porter, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports, on or about the 1st October.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents Hongkong, 18th September, 1889.

#### Shipping.

STEAMERS.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, SINGAPORE AND BANGKOK. THE Company's Steamship

Captain F. W. Phillips, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 20th inst., at 10 A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

'CHOW FA,"

YUEN FAT HONG, Hongkong, 17th September, 1889.

STEAM TO STRAITS, COLOMBO AND BOMBAY. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

will leave for the above places, on SATURDAY, the 21st inst., at NOON. E. L. WOODIN;

Superintendent

Hongkong, 13th September, 1880. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY LIMITED,

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. THE Company's Steamship

Hunt, Commander, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 22nd September. The attention of Passengers is directed to the superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the engines. Second Class Passengers are Berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating chamber ensures the supply of fresh provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified

Surgeon is carried. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 30th August, 1880.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND

ADELAIDE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.) THE Steamship

"CATTERTHUN," Captain Darke, will be despatched for the above Ports, on FRIDAY, the 27th inst., at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Hongkohg, 12th September, 1889.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI

AND KOBE. (PASSING THROUGH THE INLAND SEA.) THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"ANCONA" Captain W. D. Mudie, will leave for the above. places, on FRIDAY, the 27th September, at DAYLIGHT.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hongkong, 17th September, 1889.

### SAILING VESSELS.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Barque

"HAYDN BROWN," Havener, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ... REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1889. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE 3/3 L. I. I. British Ship

"HARVEST QUEEN," E. A. Forsyth, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 7th September, 1889. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. I. British Bark "ROBERT S. BESNARD," Andrews, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 12th September, 1889.

# Mails.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE,

-PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON: 1-BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAM-

BURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON. SPECIE ONLY LANDED, AT PLYMOUTH.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAB NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "CLYDE," Captain W. Parfitt, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON, direct VIA SUEZ CANAL calling at MARSEILLES, and usual Ports of call on WEDNESDAY, the 25th September, at

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until P.M., on the day before sailing. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hong-

The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. P. & Q. S. N. Co.'s Office,

# Mails.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANT-WERP, BREMEN AND HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC

PORTS:

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS

AND LUGGAGE. N.B .- Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

ON WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of Sept., 1880, at 4 P.M., the Company's Steamship "BAYERN." Captain J. Mergell, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will

leave this Port as above, calling at GRNOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till 10 a.m., " Cargo will be received on board until I p.m., Specie and Parcels until, to a.m., on the 25th of September, 1880. (Parcels are not to be sent on, board; they must be left at the AGENCY'S Office).

Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.

Agents Honokono aust August . 1880 CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED

STATES AND EUROPE, THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY AND OTHER CONNECTING

the 26th September, at NOON.

THE British Steamship "PORT AUGUSTA," 2,833 Tons Register, Hogg. Commander. will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C. via KOBE & YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY,

RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS

To be followed by the S. S. "PARTHIA" on the 10th Oct. and S.S. "PORT FAIRY," on the 24th Oct. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast Points by the

regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company and other Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows :--

To all Common Points in Canada } 275.00 and the United States ..... To Liverpool ..... 320.00 To London ..... 325.00 To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers

To Vancouver and Victoria ... (Mex.)\$210.00

of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to

Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. on the 25th Sept. All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until 5 P.M. the

day previous to sailing. For information as to Passage or Freight, ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

OCCIDENTAL - AND ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO,

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND

Hongkong, 12th September, 1880

EUROPE; THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING

STEAMERS. THE Steamship

"ARABIC" will be despatched for San Francisco, will Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 28th September,

Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received at the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing.

First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco and return, } 

To London ..... 330.00 To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. · Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a

Passengers by this line have the option of

discount of to per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Fapan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's

Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs. San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency, of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN. Agent

Hongkong, 11th September, 1880.

Hongkong, 27th September, 1889.

Untimations.

#### DAKIN'S UNRIVALLED OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

BLEND OF THE FINEST WHISKIES that Scotland can produce.

Thoroughly Matured. Per Dozen \$10.

Per Bottle \$1.

SOLD ONLY BY DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA

LIMITED, CHEMISTS,

AERATED WATER MANUFACTURERS, HONGKONG.

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THESE SOAPS; being specially prepared for use in Tropical Climates, will be found most efficacious for cleansing and purifying the Skin, and for preventing contagion from Fevers of all kinds, and contagious diseases generally. They act as a mild stimulant, as well as a depurative and disinfectant; readily allay irritation of the Skin, cure and prevent prickly heat

and other Skin diseases prevalent in hot climates, and are strongly recommended for general usby all the leading and most eminent Medical Practitioners To be had in the following forms to suit all

requirements:

STRONG MEDICINAL.

In Single Tablet Boxes. WHITE, guaranteed to contain 20 per cent of Pure Carbolic Acid. ROSE COLOUR, guaranted to contain 20 per cen of Pure Carbolic Acid. TRANSPARENT, guaranteed to contain 20

cent of Pure Carbolic Acid. Price 50 Cents per Box - 3 Boxes, \$1.25. Three Tablets in a Box. Pose Colour, guaranteed to contain to per cent of Pure Carholic Acid.

Price, \$1.25 per. Box-8 Boxes, \$3.50. TOILET SOAP. Three Tablets in a Box. ROSE COLOUR, guaranteed to contain 5 per cent of Pure Carbolic Acid. TRANSPARENT, guaranteed to contain 5 per cent of Pure Carbolic Acid.

Price, 75 Cents per Box-8 Boxes, \$2. WATSON'S ANTISEPTIC DOG SOAP In Single Tablet Boxes. BRINGS SUDDEN DEATH TO FLEAS AND ALL PEDICULOUS PARASITES. It is nevertheless perfectly harmless, and may be used without the least fear

of any bad result on Dogs of any age, sex, or size. Price 50 Cents per Box-8 Boxes, \$1.25.

WATSON'S PURE TRANSPARENT TOILET SOAPS. Have attained a reputation in the Far

East which makes them universal. Toilet Requisites. Guaranteed to be absolutely pure, and may be used by Ladies and Children with the most delicate Complexions and sensitive Skins, without any fear whatever of producing irritation, at any season of the year. Being practically dry and firm, they will be found most economical in use.

WATSON'S PURE TRANSPARENT GLYCERINE SOAP. Guaranteed to contain the largest percentage of Pure Glycerine it is possible to introduce into any Soap'. Specially recommended to all who have a very delicate Skin easily affected by

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wind and weather.

A varied assortment of favourite kinds; the principal difference between them being more one of personal preference than of quality; all are pure, and the base of all is the same, but the perfumes differ. A ew kinds will be introduced from time to time, as occasion requires.

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Mar Ask for Special Bill giving full particulars of all the different Soaps we make.

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A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841. Hongkong, and September, 1889. ..

"Il'he Maxagere M'eichenh

Hongkong, Thursday, September 19, 1889.

" OUR EVENING CONTEM-

PORARY."

THE China Mail of last night publishes two columns of what may be intended for criticism of the recent libel action, Fraser-Smith v. Bain, but what is in reality coarse and vulgar abuse of the plaintiff in that suit. At present we have not decided in what special form we will join issue with the 'responsible' editor, printer, and publisher of this fresh series of defamatory libels. The writer, it is quite evident, is the same individual who wrote the editorials used with such telling effect when defendant was under cross-examination, and whose phraseology is of that pronounced character which renders identification so easy. We could institute with perfect safety another strikers.

civil action against the Editor of the China Mail; we could, with an equal certainty of gaining the verdict, prosecute him for a criminal offence - and that would probably, under all circumstances, be the proper course to pursue; and as an alternative we are fully justified in meeting our nest of assailants on their own platform and fighting out the issue in the columns of the Hongkong Telegraph. The newspaper proprietor who on oath declared that the policy of his paper had been and was to entirely ignore the utterances of the Hongkong Telegraph and its Editor, has started a campaign against us in which gross defamation and personal abuse are reely used, and if we elect to stoop so low as his level and to use the weapons he has selected, he will have no grounds for complaint. The law courts will not assist him, as it is a well established principle that when two public newspapers choose this method of settling their differences the Courts will not interfere, but will allow them to fight out the battle in their own way. However, we are desirous of narrowing the issues between ourselves and the China Mail, and therefore, before taking further steps as regards the outside contributor's latest bond fide literary production, have an offer to make which we think will be considered by all impartial persons as fair and reasonable, and also as, a convincing proof that we are quite prepared to stand or fall by the position we took up in the case decided in our favor by Acting Chief-Justice FIELDING CLARKE on Monday last. Here is our proposition, which we offer to the Editor of the China Mail and his anonymous contributors for acceptance. and to the Hongkong public, and the supporters of this journal in particular, for their impartial consideration.

In last night's China Mail the assertion

is deliberately made that had the libel suit Fraser-Smith v. Bain been tried before a jury, instead of being left to the legal acumen and ripe experience of the Acting Chief Justice, the verdict would to a certainty have gone the other way-that the defendant and not the plaintiff would have triumphed. Now, that is a fair challenge, and we accept it with all due courtesy and without the least hesitation. And this is how the point can be most satisfactorily decided. The fact that Mr. George MURRAY BAIN has been mulcted in damages and costs, for this particular libel-he says unjustly and illegally mulcted-does not in any way absolve the actual writer of the anonymous letter, from legal responsibility. Mr. MURRAY BAIN, and presumedly his associate in this business, asserts that a jury would have vindicated his action in publishing and the other person's in writing the alleged defamation. Well, we are willing to accept this test and give both these authorities the opportunity of proving that their justification is not a hollow sham, that i is something more than idle chatter. Let the writer of the letter come forward and show that he possesses the courage of his opinions, that his hone t indignation at our alleged inconsistency was not a paltry excuse for indulgence under the cloak of a convenient anonymity in a criminal offence, that he is not ashamed of the views and opinions he took upon himself to publicly advocate-and we promise, on our part, to give him the full benefit of a trial before a jury of his own selection at as early a date as possible. We will even go a step further to induce this anonymous libeller to throw off the mask and honorably face the consequences of an action of which we are even yet told he considers he has good reason to be justly proud. We shall be most happy to agree with this person, if he will come out of his shell and 'face the music' before a jury, to stake the sum of \$500, on the issue of the trial, the loser to hand over that amount to the Alice Memorial Hospital. This, we think, will be considered a fair offer, as it affords the individuals now resting under the stigma of having been convicted of an infamous libel the very opportunity they pretend to desire for vindicating their actions before a tribun composed of their own fellow citizens, anonymous libeller, only one fair inference can be drawn, and that will not be favorable to the vaunted bond fider of the China Mail and its select contributor, Should our masked opponent's courage fail, as seems most probable, we shall know what steps to take to again bring the Editor of

#### TELEGRAMS.

our evening contemporary to his proper

ANOTHER MURDER IN WHITECHAPEL LONDON, September 11th. The headless trunk of a woman, without the legs and mutilated in " Jack the Ripper" fashion, has been found in a sack in Whitechapel.

THE STRIKE IN LONDON. Nearly twenty thousand pounds have reached England from Australia in aid of the Dock

RUSSIA AND GERMANY. The Czar will visit Berlin this month.

CRETE.

It is semi-officially stated in Athens that the Sultan has conceded all the Cretan demands.

THE LONDON STRIKES.

September 16th. The strikes are at an end, and work has been

THE MONETARY CONGRESS. The Monetary Congress in Paris has concluded its sittings. The debates show that the advocates on both sides are pretty equally

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE steamer Natal, sold at Singapore the other day, has gone to Rhio to be registered under the Putch fing.

THE local agents for Hartmann's grey paint, specially manufactured for coating the insides of steel ships, are Messrs. Blackhead & Co.

THE World states that Lord Knutsford, Secre-

retiring from that position, owing to the fatigues THE P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Sydney,

with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 31st ulto, has arrived at Yokohama, and will leave for this port to-morrow. THE reas n why the importation of opium into

Annam has been forbidden is owing to the taking

over of the Opium Farm by the French Government from the 20th inst. WE are informed by the agents (Messrs. Russell & Co.) that the "Union" Line steamer Callingham, from Lordon, left Singapore for this port on the

16th Inst., and may be expected to arrive on CAPTAIN COLLINSON, of the 58th Regiment, had a capital day's sport." up country " at Amoy last Saturday. Three tigers composed the "bag,

and they were shot under circumstances that

equired pluck and nerve of no mean order.

WE observe that the efforts to obtain coolid labour from Irdia for British North Borneo and Sarawak have been favorably entertained by the Government of India. So far the supply of labour from China has fallen far short of

requirements.

A LONDON telegram dated August 30th says, connection with the naval manœuvres, that H.M.S. Galatea has captured the Arethusa. under the command of Admiral Baird, in the Mersey. The Arethusa was preying upon the A lautic steamers.

THE switchback railway here is not switching she presents a very graceful appearance. Below to any great extent yet, owing to the strike in the water line great care has been taken to London. The rails are on that side, and as the diminish skin friction as mu has possible, and sities of this colony the Company have cut their requaintance, and are getting the rails from Singapore. They will be here about the time the cold snap reaches us.

THE Band of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders will play the following programme at the Barrack Square to-morrow evening, com-

mencing at 7.30 o'clock :-Valse ...... "Southern Breeze" ........... Melstler. Quadrilla...... \*\* Roundabeut " ..... Williams. 

A TELEGRAM in the Sydney Morning Herald of August 31st says that Rear-Admiral Heneage, in command of the British naval establishment in the Pavific, has forcibly removed a German barque from her anchorage in the harbour of Esquimault, Vancouver's Island. The naval authorities assign no reason for this proceeding. The harbour-master at E-quimault declares that Rear-Admiral Hencage exceeded his authority in this action, and has ordered the German vessel to return.

THE E. & A. Co.'s steamship Guthris, Capt. Hugh Craig, with the Australian mails, arrived in port early this morning from Sydney, via Newcastle, Cooktown and Thursday Island, after a passage that is about the fastest on record. The Gulhrie's total steaming time for the trip was 17 days 5 hours. It is noteworthy that on her trip from Foochow to Sydney with the new teas, the Guthrie best the China Navigation Co.'s steamer Tsinan about one day-a good performance for the E. & A. Co.'s "crack" steamer.

WE note some interesting Havas telegrams in the Saigon papers. The Count de Paris has issued a proclamation calling upon all enemies the Republic to make common cause at the coming Parliamentary elections, and support our challenge is not accepted by the Royn'ist condidates. The son of the Khedive of Egypt has arrived at Paris to see the Exhibition. The Russian Heir Apparent is also expected to visit that city shortly. A deputation of Italian democrats, come there for the same purpose, has been warmly received by the Muncipal Council of Paris. The Emperor of Germany was to leave for Strasburg on the 10th instant,

> Mg. Wodehouse re-heard part of the case against Corporal Kennedy, who was recently sentenced to three months' imprisonment for stealing a pair of shoes this morning. Mr. Hastings defended, and stated that the facts really were that one evening the prisoner, with two others, went into a Chinese shoe-maker's in Queen's Road East, as he wanted to buy a pair of shoes, He looked at some, but demurred at the price, and the fokis hustled him and his companions out. A minute or two later he recollected that he had left his stick behind, and when he went back for it the shopmen all attacked him, and turned him out sgain .- Some evidence in support of this was given, and the case remanded,

CAPTAIN HUGH CRAIG, one of the most popular skippers that comes to the port, has resumed command of the E. & A! Co.'s steamship Guthrie, relieving Captain S: Green, who has been appointed to the Menmuir, lately employed on a yachting tour in Far Eastern seas:

WITH reference to the Pawang mines, the Straits Times of the 12th inst. says:-Yesterday. the Resident of Selangor arrived in Singapore, and with him Yap Kwong Sing and another Chinese Towkay who are prepared to make offers for carrying on the Rawang mines. To-day two of the directors of the Company expected to have the opportunity of entering into negotiations on the subject. The Resident has insisted that the coolies must be paid and fed, and that the work of the mines must not be stopped under peril of losing the concession. Accordingly the Bank at Kuala Lumpur has been induced to advance certain further sums of money, under guarantee, we presume, that the property in Selangor will be held for the advancers, or at least on some form of preference.

On Tuesday last three Chinamen-constituting the firm of bankers carrying on business at the Kim Kat bank, Queen's Road Central-hired tary of State for the Colonies, is desirous of two steam-launches and left this colony and the waters thereof without an export permit-bother those opium cases-we mean without giving notice to their creditors. They thus saved about thirty thousand dollars. One of the individuals defrauded sought the strong arm of the law, and in a short time Mr. Rodyk had telegraphed, by authority of the Acting Governor, to the British Consul at Canton, Mr. Alabaster, to look out and have the men-watched if they arrived. That gentleman went and saw the Viceroy, who promised to send out a squad of soldiers to assist A promise was made later on that they should be sent back if arrest de Up to date that desirable event has still to be anticipated.

THR European Mail of August and says :-Holyhead wore rather a festive appearance on Saturday, July 27, when the Tentonic started upon her trial cruise. The new boat is what is called an "armed cruiser," and has been specially built from designs approved by the Admiralty, with the intention of placing her at the disposal of the Government in case of necessity. The Teutonic may be described as a flush deck ship, with a poop, bridge house, and topgallant forcastle, promenade and shelter decks, the poop and forecastle being open at ends. She has been built at Belfast, and is 582 feet long, 37 feet 6 inches broad, and 39 feet 4 inches d ep (moulded), with a gross tonnage of 9,500 tons. Her outside appearance is very striking. She is built throughout of Stemens Martin steel, the framing and plating being according to the Admiralty specifications. I order to gain the necessary longitudinal strength, the plates are made very long, but to avoid the increase of resistance due to outside butt straps the plates are made to overlap, and altogether strikers seem strangely indifferent to the neces- to accomplish this the skin plating has been thoroughly cleaned and scaled, and coated with Suter Haitmann's and Rahtjen's well-known com position. The effect of this is that the skin of the ship is as smooth as the hull of a racing yacht, the composition presenting a beautifully hard, smooth, and enamel-like surface. Much of the speed that fast vessels attain is due to the amount of care bestowed on the outside of the hull, and the builders of the Teutonic, in using Suter Hartmann's comp sition, have given practical proof of their faith in its efficacy. Th stem, stem framing, rudder framing, and keel are of forged steel. The Tentonic has no double bottom, but she has numerous transverse balkheads, and a longitudinal bulkhead extending the greater part of the length of the ship and carried up from the keelson to the deep load-line plate, so that she is enabled to carry a large amount of cargo-more in fact than might be supposed, considering the space taken up by bunkers and propelling machinery. The sub-division of the ship is very carefully arranged, and the Teutonic can float and possess stability with any two compartments flooded. Thus safety has been secured without the sacrifice of other valuable and necessary qualities. The cruise lasted till Monday, and in the preliminary run on Saturday afternoon, with only 12 boilers fired and the engines running at followolutions, a speed of knots was attained (by log) without any effection on the part of the engineers.

SUPREME COURT

IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

(Before Acting Chief Justice Fielding At the resumed sitting this morning the jury

were-Messre, F. A. R. Abesser, H. F. Ozorio, O. Gschwind, M. Gilroy, N. J. Robinson, J. W Osborne and M. M. C. Roza. A NICE POINT.

In the case of Wong. Afak, the man returning from banishment, his fordship quashed the case because the prisoner's left eyebrow did not correspond with the photograph of the man banished, and he was acquitted.

That concluded the cases. The Ah You libel case was adjourned to the October Sessions, on the defendant's application.

THE OPIUM FARMER AND THE STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

At the Police Court this morning Mr. Robinson delivered his decision in the case Spanner v. Lefavour, heard yesterday. He said :- There . are three charges in this case. The first is under section 5 of Ordinance I of 1884, for

Under section 37-read with section 3 of Ordinance 17 of 1886, which sgives the same power to an excise officer as to a police inspector-t obstruct an excise officer is, probably, an offence But in this case no obstruction has been proved Mr. Spooner has given evidence that when he went to exercise the right of search the Captain said he might search. I do not think Mr. Spooner could call on him to do more than let him search. under the Ordinance. With regard to the charge under section z, I am of opinion, looking at the Ordinance, that it is absolutely prohibited for anyone to be in possession of opium, other than the Opium Farmer or a licensee, except under license; it is an absolute prohibition, and everan innocent party cannot defend himself agains that prohibition. That being so, I do no know that it is necessary for me to do more than refer to the possible cases mentioned by the learned counsel for the defence in his very able argument, further than to say that it seems to me that section 37 of th Ordinance provides a remedy for the public-a sort of protection against the arbitrary exercise of the very extensive powers given to the Opium Farmer. If a frivolous charge is brought

by the Farmer or his officers the magistrate can

deal with it under that section, and very severely

by fine. That seems to be for the protection of

the public, and to justify to a certain extent the

extreme powers given by section 3 . It is

really unnecessary for me to go further, but should like to allude-not of course as founding my judgment upon-it in any way-to the reference made to section 7. It is a very important section, and one that the Opium Farmer and his excise officers should bear in mind. One object of it, I suppose, is thisa person may be perfectly well-known as an excise officer, but he may forfeit his badge, or warrant, and the only security the public would have against him being a swindler is the production of the badge, to show that he i acting up to that very day as an excise officer, But the words are " Acting against any person." In this case Mr. Spooner did not act against any person, and he was not bound to produce any badge I think. He did not act against any person-the opium was not searched for -b the cyldence it was given up. Therefore section would not apply. With regard to the penalty, a severe one is not asked for. There is force in the Opium Farmer's contention that the opium was from 7.30 p.m. until late it the possession of the Captain, coupled with the fact that he did not allege any intention of surrendering it to the police any more than tothe Farmer. I should like to say, with regard to section 7 again, it seems to me it is not on footing with section 2 -it is not an absolute prohibition, it is simply for the protection of the subject, and if the subject chooses to waive the protection absolutely I think the production of the badge would be excused by that waiver. "In this case the plaintiff has sworn that he was known as an excise officer, and there is absolute proof of that, because the defendan said he might search. The proof of authority was formally dispensed with. But I think the excise officers should carefully bear in mind this section 7. I shall say no more, but impose

nominal penalty of one cent. Mr. Webber-That is all we ask for-simply conviction.

Mr. Robinson-It is a conviction, under section 2.

Mr. Webber -The defendant is fined one cen then? Of course the opium will be forfeited

the Opium Farmer. Mr. Robinson-With regard to whether th detendant would be protected by the laws of pium on his manifest should be requested remain on board until the ship is out of the waters of the colony, because there may be a case like this—a person many unlawfully get possession of prepared opium-by stealing, say-and to protect himself put it on the manifest, in case

the Opium Farmer found him out. Mr. Webber-I take it that the opium will be handed over to the Opium Farmer.

Mr. Robinson-No, that does not follow. There is no proof before the Court that the 24

tins contain opium at all. Mr. Webber-I can easily prove that-they have been all pricked this morning-there is no.

doubt about what they contain. Mr. Robinson-It is in my discretion-I must forfeit it, but it is in my discretion to deliver to the Opium Farmer, and I presume if it is not handed over to him it will have to be destroyed. Mr. Webber-No, I think under Ordinance

of 1884, section 36, you will find that it must be handed to him. Mr. Francis-That is certainly not the case-

the section says "it may be." Mr. Webber-Ever since there has been Opium Farm here the opium has been forfeited

That is all I ask. Mr. Francis-He will find it difficult to get without a magistrate's order.

Mr. Robinson-I think under the circumstances I shall with-hold any order for a few days. All ships are exposed to risk, as this case, and there is not one atom evidence to connect, so far as the allegations went, the Opium Farmer with any improper dealings; they referred to his licensee. I think there is meritorious conduct on the part of defendant, and as the matter is in my discretion I shall leave the case open for two or three days; to see whether anything by way of tender for

Mr. Francis-We actually intend to petition the Government to amend the Ordinance in that respect, and make the opium that has been found under such circumstances be either. boat Company, to cover their risk and expenses.

meritorious service is made.

Mr. Robinson-I do not see how there can be confiscation in any case that does not go before a magistrate. What the Captain would have to do, and ought to do, would be to hand over all opium seized to the first comer-either an excise officer or an inspector of police, he cannot choose which, they have equal powers, but if he likes he could send up a memorandum to the police station if he wants to protect himself in

Mr. Francis-Of course that is the proper way. Neither Captain Lefavour nor myself are possessed of a cent just now, perhaps your Worship will allow the fine to be paid later. (laughter). Mr. Webber-I think he ought to be detained, your Worship.

P. C. McDougall, the Beldios-bound hero, forked out the necesstry capper, and it was handed over to the Court.

> THE ALLEGED ABSCONDER FROM MELBOURNE.

A friend of Madame Pauline François' arrived to-day by the Guthrie. It was P.C. Stokes, of the Melbourne police-a gentleman weighing attempting to act as an excise officer. There is about 200 lbs, without counting the warrant no evidence in proof. Captain Lefavour and other accessories which he carried. He certainly did not act in the character of an mentioned ex officio that Mrs. Francois used excise officer within the meaning of the section, to be in the coff-keeping line in Molbourne, wet, and every bit of jungle was in the most

and that in July last she was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment for keeping temple for the worship of Phryne. She appealed, and then her property was put into bankruptcy, but two days before the appeal was to be heard she and her moveable property, to the extent of about £400, were missing.

At the Police Court before Mr. Wodehouse, Pauline was called up this morning to hear Mr. Stokes give his evidence.

He said:-My name is John William Stokes, and I am a police-constable stationed in Melbourne, Australia. I know the defendant, Pauline Francois. I have known her for about two years, I produce a warrant and the depositions in her case. The warrant is dated the 28th August, and is signed by Frederick Call, police magistrate. She is charged with absconding from Melbourne after her estate was sequestrated. The depositions of Bernard Michael, trade assignee, show that he was appointed trustee of the estate of Pauline Francois, late of Lygan Street, Carlton, Melbourne, tobacconist, which was sequestrated at the instance of Mark Hermann, diamond merchant. She was still insolvent, and had not delivered up her property, as required by law. He had reason to believe that she had gone to Hongkong by the steamer Chingtu, with property to the amount of over £400, the property of her creditors.-Louis Charles Lesevre, wine merchant, Melbourne, also deposed that the prisoner was indebted to him in the sum o

At this point Mr. Webber, who defends the accused, came into Court, and asked for an adjournment until to-morrow, which was granted.

AMOY.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Amoy, September 17th, 1889. Last week two Chinese oplum-smokers, tired of being taken to task for indulgence in the habit by their friends, ended their smoking by taking a header into the harbour. They were

fished out next morning. Captain Collinson, of the Northamptonshire Regiment, a visitor from your port, has succeeded in breaking the record of our local shikarees by bringing down three tigers, two males and female, which he shot on Saturday evening.

It is rumoured among the Chinese that a most disastrous fire has occurred at Cheang Chew. destroying over one hundred houses. It is stated that several lives have also been lost.

The weather for the past fortnight has been most enjoyable, nice and cool at night and not too hot in the day, There is, however, a lot of low fever among the natives, but otherwise the health of the port is very good.

#### CHINESE TRAGEDY.

St. Paul's warnings against that mischievous class called "busy-bodies" is truly exemplified by a sad tale which comes from Peking. It appears that a man named Chen, aged twentysix, and his wife, who is a year younger, had a son aged eight years; all three lived happily by themselves, but for some reason unexplained were not on good terms with the other members of their family, which consists of a mother and an elder brother. One day last month, having occasion to visit his relations, Chen had a wordy dispute with his mother and so left his brother's house in a passion. This coming to the ears of remedy he must take advice, but a person putting | the neighbours, it is unnecessary, to say that it was made public capital of by certain busybodies amongst them, who thought, in the interests of "Filial Piety" and the other four Chinese Virtues, that Chen should get a "fright" so as to stop further quarrelling with his mother. Accordingly one of them called on Chen the same day and gravely told him that he had a most fearful crime to account for, in that his mother, after his violent altercation in the morning, had committed suicide. On hearing this Chen turned pale and after consulting with his wife came to the conclusion that there was: no other way of escape for them but death. So Chen went out and bought a sufficient quantity of boiled opium of which, having mixed with water, he first administered a portion to his eight year old son, and having stoically seen the child die, made his wife drink the potion next, and then finished up the rest himself. The next morning the neighbour who caused the catastrophe, having observed that Chen's house was unusually quiet, at first concluded that he had run away in fright, but after waiting until noon and still seeing nothing moving in the house, he reported the matter to the police. The door of the house was quickly broken open. and the police were face to face with the ghastly sight of three dead bodies lying in different parts of the bed-room. The child lay as if placidly sleeping on the bed t the mother, with her bair let down, lay a few paces from the bed, and Chen himself, with the fatal opium bowl still grasped in his hand, was stretched out, cold in dealt, near the window, his eyes protruding and his face looking stern and bearing the impress of a fixed determination to die. .. Much curiosity was manifested at first as to the probable reasons that led to this triple suicide. Chen's mother was then called to see her son, and in her sorrow accused herself as being the cause of the suicide, as she had been too harsh with her son the day she last saw him alive. Yet this reason did not appear to be sufficient, as Chen was known to have had numerous other quarrels with his mother even more severe than the last one, and if he were to be effected that way, his sulcide would have destroyed or a portion handed over to the Steam- occurred years before. At last, however, the story that he had been imposed upon by his busybody neighbours to believe that his mother had committed suicide on the day of his quarrel with her, leaked out, and now Chen's mother wishes to revenge her, son's death. But the Chinese, who believe sincerely in the coctrine of retributive justice, declare that if earthly powers fail to see that justice is done, heaven

HOW TO KILL "MAN-EATERS."

will surely visit the persons who caused the sad

sulcides with their deserts,

A Salgon correspondent sends the following interesting letter to the Straits Times !-

When I first came to inhabit Cochin-China in 1860, man, woman, and especially girl-eating tigers were rather more plentiful than desirable, and never till my last hour shall I forget my first experience with one of these truculent beasts It was in September 1861; a long way up country, near the source of the Saigon river, and of course in the thickest of forests and jungles. It had been raining all day, and everything was looking wet. About dusk an elderly woman rushed into my attap house crying bitterly, her girl, an only child of seventeen, had been just dragged off by a tiger, and she beseeched me to allow the native soldiery to beat a dense jongle into which the unfortunate girl had be carried by the tiger in order to retrieve the dead body of her child, Night had closed in no moon appeared as

intense darkness. Moreover, as I was fully aware of the nervousness of the natives with firearms. I demurred for some time before consenting to do what the poor mother wanted. However, 1 at last determined to attempt the rescue of the body. It was my first adventure of the kind, and as I had to head the beaters, well, I will say I hardly liked the job, and was moreover afraid of betraying my own nervousness before the netives. However, to cut the matter short, I quickly collected about 50 volunteers, armed a dozen with short rifles, and the remainder with spears, bill-books, and the usual tom-toms, torches, &c. I myself carrying a heavy double barrelled 12 gauge fowling piece, each barrel loaded with two hardened spherical bullets jumbled together, with five drams of Hall's best behind them.

Off we started for the hamlet wherein the victim had lately resided; it was a lonely place, three miserable huts, a treacherous bog on one side and the jungle down to within 50 yards on 'the three others. We quickly took up the spoor, for our enemy had shouldered his victim; we reached the skirts of the jungle, and then the row began. Hardly had we got inside the jungle when one of the beaters shouled "here's the corpse." A rush was at once made to his side, torches shone out, and there, lying across the trunk of a fallen tree. was the naked body of the victim. Her breast and neck clawed and torn, a huge piece bitten out of the left thigh, and her hair, six feet long, licked off. These were the girl-eater's doings! He had of course slunk off. The awful sight was more than I could bear, so hastily giving an order or two, I returned to the buts.

Well, I remained in those quarters for about a fortnight, and did my best to kill the brute somehow or other, but as I had no strychnine with me, I failed. However, he got frightened and removed to other scenes. It was many a year. ago, but your paper has refreshed my memory as if it were yesterday.

Since then I have waged a terrible war on all of the genus .cat. I don't want to brag, but I think I can say that I have myself trapped, poisoned, or shot a hundred tigers, and caused five hundred more to be so treated. Not later than a week ago a man-eater growled at me without any known reason. I had the trap made, paid for it, and caught him five days niterwards. His skin was taken off his back this morning.

But to the purport of this letter-man-eating tigers. Indeed, tigers are very easily poisoned one grain of strychnine will do for the biggest. Two causes generally occur; the victim is a horse, a published to this colony, contains "the bullock, a buffalo, or a pig, or in some cases the following :- The Autumn Criminal Sessions victim is a human being. In both cases the for the province of Kuangtung commenced robber must be followed with squibs and tomtoms or with any other row-begetting means. It is hardly worth while stalking the brute by still hunting; he invariably slinks off; the noise at any rate makes the tiger relinquish his prey and retire about 50 yards into the jungle and wait till the row is over. 'Then -if the bait is a fourfooted animal, a piece about 10 lb. weight, say half a shoulder, should be cut off and poisoned by pricking the flesh with about 30 holes into which the smallest possible quantity of strychnine is dropped with the point of a pen knife. A grain is sufficient if neatly arranged; the bait so prepared must be fastened to a stump or peg, with a rope about the size of a man's finger and a foot long (free of stump), and laid on the ground exactly where the carcass of the animal killed was found: the said carcass must then be carted away, or carried away, and everybody goes, home. Our tiger, hearing no more noises, returns to where his bait was abandoned, sees the bait only remaining, and I suppose fancying that he has been robbed by some other tiger, at once seizes the bait in his jaw with a firm grip, and in so doing squeezes the poisoned blood down his throat; snaps the rope and moves off. He won't go far, and in two or three hours, whether he eats the bait or not, he will be found within 200 yards stretched out! He poisons himself in his efforts to snap the rope when the bait is between his jaws. When the victim is a human being, with the natives a piece cannot be cut off in order to poison it Then, of course, before setting out, a small porker is produced, ray about 40 lbs., killed by a blow from a club, cut in two, the fore part well poisoned, the hind part given to the beaters, and the bait is laid as before, the corpse having been removed. The result is the same. I have never known, when I had set the bait myself, a tiger to be missed. Once, having no porker at hand, and an old lady having been carried off, poisoned the villain "Stripes" with a piece of raw

NOTES FROM CHINESE PAPERS

bullock hide. There are of course many other

ways of trapping and killing tigers which I will

not describe, as your Orang Sakies know them

all as well as our mais. The best traps are the

pit and gallows trap and the spring spear trap.

Nothing comes up to strychnine, the only draw-

back is that you can't trust a native with it or s

Chinaman.

The Autumn Manceuvres of the Manchu Brigade at Canton commenced on the 17th inst. outside the North gate of the city, and will continue until the 21st instant.

A man at Fatshan has been arrested and charged with counterfeiting silver money (sycee) and also uttering the same. His sentence will be either banishment to Kashgaria, or decapita-

The Chinese Northern Squadron is now a Wei-hai-wai. The Chao-yung (Armstrong cruiser) arrived on the 8th inst. for provisions for the Fleet and also took on board two thes trical troupes for the amusement of the Admiral at Wel-hai-wal.

The gentry of all the district towns in the prefecture of Shao Ching fu have petitioned the Viceroy to include their prefecture in the large area to be patrolled by the newly organized water police and their armed steam launches. His Excellency has granted the petition.

The Board of Rites has notified the Viceroys and Governors of provinces that the 19th day of the 12th moon of the present year (January 9th, 1890) has been set apart for the commencement of the yearly Government holidays, i.e :will continue until the 21st day of the first moon of the year following (February 10th, 1800) when the Seals will be re-opened, in due and ancient form.

'A youth in Canton who has a great hobby of practising with the cross-bow, happened two days ago to see a couple of pigeons on the top of his house. Visions of pigeon fricasts for the evening meal coming before him, he went in to his room and getting his favorite we spon the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the arrow found its billet—not in the fly " and the fly " a fly" and the arrow found its billet-not in the pigeons, which went on cooing to each other in innocent unconcern,-but in the sacred person of his own mother, who happened at the time to | Holloway House, Sunbury, be drying some clothes in the back-yard. This Celestial Robin Hood is now sadly mourning the loss of his pet cross-bow, which was at once confiscated by his indignant maternal relative and, made to furnish the evening meal in the menial capacity of firewood !

Shelmun, since the posting of the Kwang-chow & Rog - [Adel.

fu Prefect's proclamation granting a general | Consumption, Wasting Discuses, and General amnesty to the lekin obstructionists, have all Debility. Dectors disagree as to the relative returned to their various trades and a ocations: value of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites; There has been, however a number of ruffians | the one supplying strength and flesh-the others who, taking advantage of the disturbances, have prosecuted a system of robbery and black. mailing to the terror of the law-abiding population, and this proclamation is not altogether to their taste. These worthies are still continuing their career of rapine, notwithstanding the proclamation. Sun, prefect of Kwang-chow fu, hal therefore sent a force of armed police to Shekmun to arrest these robbers, and bring them to Canton to be tried for their offences.

The Ikai-sun has the following :- Owing to wolves abounding in the two districts of Fengchou and Fu-ning, in the province of Shantung and their boldness in scouring round in numerous herds, the people of these districts date not travel from one place to the other, unless in companies of a dozen or twenty men, armed with guns to repel the attacks of these voracious animals. A few days ago a party of five men, aimed with guns, were attacked by a drove of wolves, which devoured the whole party. . The authorities have given orders to some troops at Fu-ning to organize a general hunt and "war to the knife" has been declared against the wolves. The districts of Feng-chou and Fu-ning are some eighty miles to the north of Chefoo and near the districts ravaged by the Yellow River floods.

Two ferry boats running between Canton and some country villages along the banks of the Pearl River happened to start the day before yesterday at the same time from Canton, and going the same direction naturally raced each other. The excitement communicating from the boatmen to the passengers, those occupying the slower boat commenced to challenge the winners to a free fight when they got on shore. The reply received to this challenge was a volley into the challenging boat of a lot of bowls and dishes had just been used for the noon day meal. A general fusilade accordingly began, and when the supply of this strange ammunition was exhausted, both boats contained an appalling number of broken heads and disfigured faces cut by the rough kind of crockery in general use in Chinese passenger boats. It is doubtful whether this fray may not lead to some clan fights.

The Ts'un Wan, a Chinese newspaper at Canton at noon of the 16th instant before Wang, Commissioner of Justice, when a number of cases were dealt with. Two charges of murder Annin at Lien-chou; one each for the inten cities of Hsing-ning, Nan hsiung and Hua Chou; two cases of rape at Fu King-ting, and two piracies -in which the culprits were caught red-handed at Jen-hua hsien, were investigated. For the district of Namhoi, there were three pirates tried and two gentlemen of the same persuasion, caught in Punyu, were also haled before the representative of offended justice. In all there was a total of five cases of murder, two for raps, and seven for murder and piracy combined. It is scarcely necessary to add that the sentence in each case was the customary one of decapitation.

#### AN INTERESTING LETTER FROM A VETERAN.

As this is Jubilee year it tends to make one look back and think of the flight of time, and in this way I am one of the veterans in the sale of your valuable and successful medicine. I have sold it from the ber the first circular you sent out some nine or ten at 4 P.M years ago. You had come to England from America to introduce Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, and I was struck by a paragraph in which you used these words :- "Being a stranger in a strange land, I do not wish the people to feel that I want to take the least advantage over thom. I feel that I have a remedy that will cure disease, and I have so much confidence in it that I authorise my agents to refund. the money if people should say that they have not benefitted by its use." I felt at once that you would nover say that unless the medicine had merit, and I applied for the agency, a step which I now look back upon with pride and satisfaction.

Ever since that time I have found it by far the best remedy for Indigestion and Dyspepsia I have mes with, and I have sold thousands of bottles. It has never failed in any case where there were any of the following symptoms; - Nervous or sick headache, sournoss of the stomach, rising of the food after eating, a sense of fulness and heaviness, dizziness, bad breath, slime and mucus on the gums and teeth, constinution. and yellowness of the eyes and skin, dull and sleepy sensations, ringing in the care, heartburn, loss of appetite, and, in short, wherever there are signs that the system is clogged, and the blood is out of order. Upon repeated inquiries, covering a great variety of ailments, my customers have always answered, "I am better," or "I am perfectly well." What I have seldom or never seen before in the case of any medicine is that people tell each other of its virtues, and those who have been cured say to the suffering: "Go and get Mother Beigel's Curative Syrup, it will make you well." Out of the hundreds of cures I will name on

or two that happen to come into my mind. Two old gentlemen, whose names they would not like me to give you, had been martyrs to Indigestion and Dyspepsis for many years. They had tried all kinds of medicine without relief. One of them was so bad he could not bear a glass of ale. Both were advised to use the Syrup, and both recovered, and were as hale and hearty as men in the prime of life.

A remarkable case is that of a house painter named Joffrice, who lived at Penshurst, in Kent. His business obliged him to expose himself a great deal to wind and weather, and he was seized with rhoumatism, and his joints soon swelled up with dropsy, and were very stiff and painful. Nothing that the doctors could do seemed to reach the seat of the trouble. It so crippled him that he could do hardly any work, and for the whole of the winter of 1878 and '79, he had to give up and take to his bed. He had been afflicted in this sorry way for three years, and was getting worn out and discouraged. Besides, he had spent over £13 for what he called "doctor's stuff" without the least Seigol's Ourstive Syrup has done for others and bought a 2s, 6d. bottle of me. In a few days he sent me word he was much better—before he had finished the bettle. He then sent to me for a 4s. 6d. bettle, and as I was going that way I carried it down to him wooding an onlon bed. I could hardly believe my

own eyes; and said ;-"You ought not to be out here, man, it may be the death of you, after being laid up all winter with rheumatism and dropsy."

His reply was :- There is no danger. The weather is fine, and Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup has done for me in a few days what the doctors could not do three years. I think I shall get well now."

Yours faithfully, (Signed) RUPEUT GRAHAM, Of GRAHAM & SON.

Middlesex, ...

Jane 25th, 1887. The above wonderful cure of Rheumatism was the result of the remarkable power of Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup to cleause the blood of the poisonous humours that arise from Indigection and Dyspepsia. Mother Beigel's Curative Syrup, is for sale by all chemists and medicine randors, and by the proprietors, According to the Kwang-pao the prople of A.J. White, Limited, 85, Farringdon Boad, London,

giving nerve power and acting as a tonic to the digestion and entire system. But in Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites the two are combined, and the effect is wanderful. Thousands who have derived no permanent benefit from other preparations have been cured by this. "Scott's Emulsion" isperfectly palatable, and is easily digested even by those who cannot tolerate plain Cod Liver Oil. Any Chemist can supply it.-A. S. Watson & Co. (Limited), agents in Hongkong and China.

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Hongkong Observatory, 19th September, 1889.

#### Co=day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL THE Steamship

very first, and have sent it into every county in Eng. Captain C. Tonningson will be despatched for land and many parts of Scotland. Well do I remem- the above Port, on SATURDAY, the 21st inst.,

For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, 19th September, 1889.

DOUGLAS STEAM-SHIP COMPANY; LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO. THE Company's Steamship

"FOKIEN," Captain Lewis, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SUNDAY, the 22nd instant, at DAY-

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Honglong, 19th September, 1889.

> PUBLIC AUCTION LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Mortgagee, to Sell by Public

SATURDAY the 26th September, 1889, at 3 O'CLOCK P.M.,

at the premises. ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND, being registered on the Land Office as Subsection a of Section A of INLAND LOT No. 175, with the tenement erected thereon and known as No. 14, Peel

For further Particulars and Conditions of SATURDAY, the 28th Instant. Sale, apply to Messis. HOLMES & PRYNNE, Solicitors,

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer, Duddell Street.

Hongkong, 19th September, 1889. THE SHARE LIST CLOSES ON THE 25TH INSTANT, AT 3 P.M.

benefit. In the Spring he heard of what Mother THE HONGAY LIME AND CEMENT WORKS, LIMITED.

TO B' INCORPORATED UNDER THE COMPANIES ORDINANCES 1'61-1876.

Payable \$1 on application, \$1 on allotment and

balance as required at one month's notice, One half of the Shares is held by the Directors and their friends and will be allotted in full; the remainder are now offered for public subscription in Tonkin and Hongkong.

The Company invites applications for the balance of its Share Capital, i c.: - for 25,000 Shares. Full prospectuses and application forms may be

had from THE BANKERS THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA-TION, LIMITED, THE GENERAL AGENTS

J. A. BARRETTO, Secretary, 2, D'Aguillar Street Hongkong, 19th September, 1 29.

A. R. MARTY & Co., Haiphong and Hongkong,

or of the Undersigned

#### To-dan's Advertisements.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY THROUGH TO NEW YURKE YIM OVER LAND. RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U.S. Mal' Steamship

"CITY OF SYDNEY"

will be despatched for San Francisco, we Yokohama, on WEDNESDAY; the 9th October, at I P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans portation to Voltohama and other Japan Ports to San Francisco, and Atlantic and Infanc Cities of the United States via Overland Rail ways to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, an to ports in Mexico, Central and South America by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to Englan-France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic line of Steamers.

First-class Fares granted as follows: To San Francisco.....\$225.00 To San Francisco and return, } available for 6 months..... 

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Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways.

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Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. distance Competition. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will. be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN,

Manufana 10th September """n

## Intimations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. TNFORMATION has been received from I the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that ARTIL-LERY PRACTICE will take place from Lower Belcher's Battery, between the hours of 4 P.M. and 6 P.M., FRIDAY NEXT, the 20th

instant. The line of fire will be in a North Westerly direction from the Battery. All Ships, Junks, and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the range.

By Command, ARATHOON SETH, for the Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office.

THE BORNEO HOTEL AND STORES

Hongkong, 16th September, 1889.

COMPANY, LIMITED. TN accordance with the provisions of No.

XVIII, of the Articles of Association, the Board of Directors have this day declared an INTERIM DIVIDEND at the rate of fifteen per cent, per annum for the four months ended June 10th, 1889, on the paid up Capital of the

Dividend Warrants payable at the Office of the CHINA BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, will be issued to Shareholders on the register, on the 15th September, 1889. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 20th September, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, CECIL FABRIS,

Sandakan, 7th September, 1889. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE KWOON KWAN YEEN CHALLENG THE Second Competition for the 1st Stage will take place next SATURDAY, the

21st September, at 3.15 P.M. The Entrance Fee for this Stage only, i.e. 30 cents, or for the Two Stages f.c. 60 cents, must be sent to me before 5 P.M., on FRIDAY next, 20th inst. The Second Stage will be shot off on

\* A. SHELTON HOOPER Hon. Secretary, Care of Hongkong Club.

Hongkong, 17th September, 1889. SHOOTING GALLERY.

T No. 35, Wellington Street, under the UNION CLUB. Opened from 10.A.M. to I P.M., and from 3 to Hongkong, 9th September, 1889.

KOWLOON HOTEL, J. C. L. ROUCH......MANAGER.

WINE and SPIRITS of the best quality, ENGLISH & AMERICAN BILLIARD TABLES, BOWLING ALLEYS, TENNIS

Hongkong, 21st January, 1889.

HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM-WAYS COMPANY, LTD. TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS. 8 to 10 A.M. every quarter of an hour. 12 to 2 P.M. every half hour,

4 to 8 P.M. every quarter of an hour. THURSDAYS. NIGHT TRAMS at 10.30 and 11 P.M. SUNDAYS.

10.40 A.M.; 12 to 1:30 P.M. every quarter of an 4 to 8 P.M. every quarter of an hour. o, 10, 10.30, 11 P.M. Special Cars may be obtained on application

to the Superintendent." Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; Five-Cent, Coupons and Reduced Tickets at the Office. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, Tet May, 1889.

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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Offices on SATURDAY, the 21st inst., at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, tagether with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1889.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 21st September, both days inclusive. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. ' Hongkong, 7th September, 1889.

MERCANTITE MARINE OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION.

INTIL the NEW PREMISES are ready the above named Institution will be carried on at Nos. 2, 4, and 6, High Street, above the Government Civil Hospital. Good Accommodation for M. M. Officers.

Terms Moderate. JAS. EDWARDS, Proprietor.

J. A. CLARK, Teacher of Officers and Engineers. Above Address. Hongkong, 2nd September, 1889. 1002

#### HONGKONG HOTEL

NOTICE.

THE MAGNIFICENT ROOMS in the NEW WING, are now open and afford increased Accommodation for Private Tiffin and Dinner Parties, Balls, Public Meetings, &c., '&c.' The Hotel supplies Picnic and Shooting Parties with Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embark- every requisite at the shortest notice, and on ing at San Francisco for China or Japan (or most moderate terms. The Hotel also offers to vice verse) within tone year will, be allowed a lits' Constituents and Supporters the best Wines. discount of to per cent. This allowance dges | Spirits, Liqueurs, Stores, &c., &c., specially not apply to through fares from China and selected by its Representatives in London and on the Continent of a quality and at prices that

For prices list and particulars,

Certificate in name of

Apply to C. M. ROBERTS. Manager. Hongkong, 2nd September, 1880.

THE Undernoted 100 SHARES: of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, being the Property of the undersigned, having been LOST, the Public are warned against negotiating same.

Scrip No. Nos. of Shares, 50 Shares, L. Mendel, B. 2071 21311 55,

(51692/712) 10 Shares, W. D. Spence, B. 2099-3280/3289. B. 2134 57342/46,

H. N. MODY. Hongkong, oth September, 1889. SHANGHAI LAND INVESTMENT

15 Shares, W. H. Gaskell, B 2269-27918/27932

COMPANY, LIMITED. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....Tls. 1,002,000

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RONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COR-PORATION. A. G. WOOD, Esq., of Messrs. Gibb, Living. | 810-5] STON & Co.

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ESTATES MANAGED and all kinds of LAND AGENCY and COMMISSION business conducted. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Shanghai, 19th July, 1889.

THE HONGKONG LAND-INVESTMENT -AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL .....\$5,000,000.

PAID UP CAPITAL /..... 2,500,000/

RESERVE FUND ...... 1,250,000. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Hon, J. J. KESWICK, Chairman. -Managing Directors. Hon. C. P. CHATER, Vice-Chairman.

E. A. SOLOMON, Esq. J. S. MOSES, Enq. S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq. G. E. NOBLE, Esq. LEE SING, Esq. POON PONG, Esq.

BANKERS. THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

MONEY advanced on Mortgage, on Land, and Buildings. Properties purchased and sold. Estates Managed and all kinds of Agency and Commission business relating to land,

Full particulars can be obtained at the Company's Offices, No. 5, Queen's Road Central. A. SHELTON HOOPER,

Secretary. Victoria Buildings, Hongkong, 3rd May, 1880.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

URING the Paris Universal Exhibition of 1889, files of the "Honokong Telegraph" will be kept at the Office of our correspondents, Messrs. AMADEE PRINCE & Co., 36, Rue Lafayette, and also at the Pavilion of the Republic of Guatemala in the Exhibition, which may be consulted at any time by visitors from

the Far East. Subscribers to this journal may have their letters, papers, etc., addressed to the care of Messrs. AMADEE PRINCE & Co., whose services will be placed at the disposal of all

Hongkong, 11th March, 1880.

G. FALCONER & CO., WATCH and CHRONOMETER MANU-FACTURERS and JEWELLERS. NAUTLCAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS and BOOKS. No. 48, Queen's Road Central.

## Auctions.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION, No. 392.

THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction; to be held on the

MONDAY the 30th day of September, 1889, at 4.30 P.M., are published for general information.

By Command, ARATHOON SETH, for the Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office,

Hongkong, 14th September, 1800 Particulars of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 30th day of September, 1889, at 4.30 P.M., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of One Lot of CROWN LAND, in the Colony of Hongkong, for, a term of 999

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#### Insurances.

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SCOTTISH LIFE OFFICE OF G3 YEARS STANDING, AND ONE OF THE WEALTHIEST OF THE PROVIDENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM.

WHEN it is remembered that a Life Assurance Contract may not fall to Assurance Contract may not fall to be fulfilled for a quarter or even half a century after being entered into, it will be readily understood how important it is to the Policy-I. S. PURDON, Esq., Chairman, of Messrs. holder that the past, record as well as the present management of the Office should be of H. R. HEARN, Esq., of Messrs; ALFRED the highest possible character. The Standard has a long record of past good services to refer to; its Funds, annually increasing, amount to £6,000,000; and all modern features consistent. with safety have been adopted.

> Agents, Hongkong, FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG. THE Undersigned having been appointed

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LD.,

Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co.,

Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE,

ASSURANCE COMPANY IN LONDON. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and

LIFE at Current Rates. REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., Hongkong, 1st July, 1889.

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CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED .....\$1,000,000. The above Company is prepared to accept VARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, 'cc. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN Secretary. HEAD OFFICE. No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST, Hongkong, Jat. February, 1887.

GENERAL NOTICE. THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED.) CAPITAL TAELS 600,000, } \$833,333.33

EQUAL TO ESERVE FUND ...... \$318,000.00. BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LEE SING, Esq. LO YEUR MOON, Esq. Lou Tso Shun, Esq. MANAGER.—HO AMEI.

ARINE RISKS on GOODS, &co., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the

HEAD OFFICE, 8 8/9, PRAYA WEST. Hongkong, 17th December, 1884.

#### A. G. GORDON & CO., LIMITED.

ENGINEERS, LAUNCH BUILDERS, GENERAL and GOVERNMENT CONTRACTORS, IRONMONGERS, COM-MISSION AGENTS, VALUATORS, IRON and TIMBER MERCHANTS.

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OFFICE: CORNER OF PEDDER STREET AND PRAYA. STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, LIMITED, Hongkong, 1st May, 1879.

### Commercial.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-176 per cent. premium, sellers. Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$100 per

China Traders' Insurance Company-\$80 per. North China Insurance - I'ls, 330 per share,

Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$135 per Yangisze Insurance Association-Tls. 100 per

On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 150 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company -\$3821 per

share, sellers. China Fire Insurance Company - \$85 per share. Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company-68 n ir cent, premium, sellers.

Hongkong, Canton; and Macao Steamboat Co. -\$40 per share, buyers. China and Manila Steam Ship Company-130 per share, sellers.

Hongkong Gas Company-\$135 per share, sellers. Hongkong Hotel Company-\$210 per share,

Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per-cent. Debentures Indo-China Steam Navigation Company. Limited-15 per cent. dis., sellers. Douglas Steamship Company-\$75 per share,

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$245 | Monet. American bark, 750, Snow, 19th Sept. per share, sellers. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$90 per share, sellers.

Hongkong Ice Company-\$111 per share, Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$80 per share.

Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$14 per A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-\$21 per share, Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B--2; per cent.

premium, sellers, Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-5 per cent. premium, buyers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E-11 per cent premium

Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited-\$150 per share, nominal. The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Ld .- \$25.

per share, nominal. Punjom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Co -\$17 per share, buyers. Hongliong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company-\$160 per share, buyers.

Tonquin Coal Mining Co.-\$500 per share, The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited-210 per cent, prem., sellers.

The East Bornen Planting Co., Limited-\$58 per share, sellers. The Songei Kayah Planting Co., Ld. -\$55 per share, buyers.

Cruickshank & Co., Ld. - \$40 per share, nom, The Steam Launch Co., Limited-nominal. The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Co., Ld -par, nominal. The China-Borneo Co., Ld.-\$40 per share,

The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Ld .-\$18 per share, sellers. The Green Island Cement Co. (Old issue)-\$44

· per share, buyers. The Green Island Cement Co. (New issue)-\$81 per share, nominal. The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Ld.-\$126 per share, buyers.

The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Ld.-\$6 per share, buyers. Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited-\$30 per share,

The West Point Buildings Co., Ld. -\$53 per share, buyers: The Peak Hotel and Trading Co., I 1 .- \$24 per share, sellers.

The Labuk Planting Co., Ld. \$17 per share. The Jelebu Mining and Trading Co., Ld. - 161

per share, sellers. The Selama Tin Mining Co., Ld. -\$41 per share, The Shameen Hotel Co., Ld. \$5 per share,

nominal The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Ld. -\$22 per share, buyers.

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### MAILS EXPECTED.

THE FRENCH MAIL

The Messageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer Oxus, with the French mail of ultimo 24th, left Singapore on the 18th instant at 7 a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 24th. THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Sydney. with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 31st ultimo, has arrived at Yokohama, and will leave for this port to-morrow.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The steamer Japan, with mails from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 17th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 23rd. THE CANADIAN MAILS.

The Canadian Pacific steamer Parthia, with the Canadian mail, left Vancouver on the afternoon of the 6th instant for Japan and Hongkong. The Canadian Pacific steamer Port Augusta, with the Canadian mail, left Kobe on the 15th instant for Shanghal and Hongkong.

#### STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The 'Glen' line steamer Glengarry, from London, left Singapore on the 13th instant, and is expected here on the 19th.

The D. D. R. steamer Bellona, from Hamburg, left Singapore on the 17th instant at 9 a.m., and is due here on or about the 23rd. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Kashgar, from Bombay, left Singapore on the 18th Instant, and is due here on the 24th,

# Shipping.

ARRIVALS.

WOOSUNG, British steamer, 1.107, Harris, 18t Sept.,-Shanghai. via Wuhu 13th Sept., General .-- Butterfield & Swire. GUTHRIE, British steamer, 1,484, H. Craig, 19th Sept.,-Sydney 20th August, Newcastle 1st Sept., Cooktown 6th, and Thursday Island 8th, Coals. -- Russell & Co.

FORIEN, British steamer, 508. G. Lewis, 19th Sept.,-Taiwanfoo 16th Sept., Amoy 17th, and Swatow 18th, General.-D. Lapraik

SUNGKIANG, British steamer, 994, G. H. Glasson, 19th Sept.,-Chefoo roth Sept., and Swatow 18th, General .- Butterfield & Swire. THIUMPH, German steamer, 675, P. Moos, 19th Sept.,-Newchwang 12th Sept., Beans and Oil .- Wieler & Co.

YANGTSZE, German steamer, 814, C. Tonningson, 19th Sept.,-Whampon 19th Sept., General. -Siemssen & Co. GLENGARRY, British steamer, 1,955, F. Geddye,

-Jardine, Matheson & Co. Apolph, German bark, 867, Westergaard, 19th Sept .- Hamburg 10th M.y, General .-

Arnhold, Karberg & Co. SUMATRA, British bark, 740, John Reid, 18th Sept.,—Newcastle, N.S.W., 24th June, Coals.—Adamson, Bell & Co. TAISANG British steamer, 1,505, W. N. Jackson, 19th Sept., - Whampoa 19th Sept, General.

-Jardine, Matheson & Co. -Newcastle, N.S.W., 11th July, Coal .-Adamson, Bell & Co.

CHINA, German steamer, 1,093, P. Haye, 19th Sept., - Saigon 14th Sept., General. - Wo

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Activ. Danish steamer, for Canton. Metapedia. British steamer, for Shanghai.

City of Peking, American steamer, for Yoko-Nestor, British steamer, for Singapore, &c.

September 18, Altonower, British steamer, for September 19, Mutine, British gunboat, for a

DEPARTURES.

September to Cheang Hye Teng, British str., September 19, Rombay, British : steamer, for September 19 Taichiow, British steamer, for

Hoihow, &c. September, 19. Moyune, British steamer, for Shanghai, &c. September 19, City of Peking, American str., for Yokohama, &c. September 19, Woosung, British steamer, for

September 19, Sungkiang, British steamer, for September 19, Hesperia, German steamer, for Singapore:

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED.

Per Woosung, str., from Shanghai, &c .- 7 Pe Guthrie, str., from Sydney, &c .- Messrs. Stokes, C. P. Langdon, and t Chinese. Per Fokien, str., from Taiwanfoo, &c .- 39

Per Sungkiang, str., from Chefoo, &c .- 25 Per Triumph, str., from Newchwang. - 3 Chi-

Per Glengarry, str., from Singapore.-Miss Robins and Mr. Prosser. Per China, str., from Saigon.—145 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per City of Peking, str., for Yokohama .-Mess s. Th. Dala and Lung Yow, For Honolulu .- Mrs. S. Thomas and child, and Mr. G: A. John. For San Francisco.—Rev. and Mrs. H. F. Dobson. For Liverpool.-Mr. C. P. Laudon. Per Hesperia, str., for Singapore.- 1 Euro-

Per Taichiow, str., for Hoibow, &c .- 50 Chi-

The British steamship Glengarry reports that she left Singapore on the 13th Instant. Had fine clear weather and light north-east winds

The British steamship Woosung reports that she left Shanghai, via Wuhu on the 13th instant. Had fresh north-north-easterly winds and sea with overcast weather throughout.

The British steamship Sungkiang reports that she left Chefoo on the soth instant. Experienced light northerly winds to Lenhouse Channel; thence fresh north-east winds and fine weather with high barometer to our arrival at . Swatow on the 15th. From Swatow had moderate eastnorth-east winds and fine weather.

The British steamship Fokien reports that she left Taiwanfoo on the 16th instant at 4 p.m. Experienced fresh north-east winds and high confused sea to Amoy. Left Amoy on the 17th at 4 p.m. Had light east-north-east wind with northerly sea to Swatow. Left Swatow on the 18th. Had light wind with north-east sea and showery weather to port. In Amoy, the steamships Namoa and Formosa.

The British steamship Guthris reports that she left Sydney on the 20th ultimo, and Newcastle on the 1st instant. Had moderate to fresh south-east monsoons along Australian coast passed Cooktown on the 6th, and Thursday Island on the 8th. Carried south-east monsoon till Banka Straits, this w s passed at noon on the Basilian Straits, cleared at 9 p.m. on the 14th. Had moderate north-east and easterly winds scross the China Sea; arrived here at 1 o'clock ROBERT S. BERWARD, British bask, 1,200, M. this morning; passage 17 days and 5 hours,

#### Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Swatow, Amoy, & Foochow.-Per Halfais, to-morrow, the 20th instant, at 9.30 A.M. For Swatow, Singapore, and Bangkok.-Per Chowfa, to-morrow, the 20th instant, at 9.30

For Yokohama and Kobe.—Per Palamed, tomorrow, the 20th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Deli .- Per China, tomorrow, the 20th instant, at 5.00 P.M.

For Straits, Colombo, and Bombay.-Per Nizam, on Saturday, the 21st instant, at 11.30 For Singapore, Batavia, Samarang, and Sourabaya.-Per Camorta, on Saturday, the 21st in-

stant, at 2.30 P.M. For Shanghai.—Per Yangtane, on Saturday, Kiu-kiang, British steamer, 617, W. E. Clarke. the 21st instant, at 3,30 P.M. For Bangkok .- Per Falkenburg, on Saturday, Kiung-chow, British steamer, 288, McIver, the 21st instant, at 4.30 P.M.

For Europe, &c., India, via Bombay.—Per Clyde, on Wednesday, the 25th instant, at \$5.00 For Europe, &c., &c,—Per Bayern, on Wed-

nesday, the 25th instant, at 3.00 P.M. For Kobe, Yokohams, and Vancouver.-Per Port Augusta, on Thursday, the 26th instant, at 10,30 A.M.

For Europe, &c., Australia, Madras, Calcutta, and Mauritius.—Per Iraquaddy, on Thursday, the 16th Instant, at 11,00 A.M.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per Ancona, on Thursday, the 26th instant, at 5.00

For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, and Adelaide .- Per Catterthun, on Friday, the 27th | Por instant, at 3.30 P.M.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STRAMERS.

ACTIV, Danish steamer, 355, N. C. Revsbeck, 18th Sept.,—Pakhoi 15th Sept., and Hoi-how 16th, General. - Arnhold, Karberg

ANTON, German steamer, 336, T. Eggerts, 14th Sept., -Iloilo 11th 'ept., General. -- Wieler

ARABIC, British steamer, 4.368, W. M. Smith, 17th Sept.,-San Francisco 22nd August, and Yokohama 11th Sept., Mails and General.-O. & O. S. S. Co.

BATAVIA, British steamer, 1,664, J. C. Williamson, 15th Sept .- put back. Mails and General.-Adamson, Bell & Co. CAMORTA, British steamer, 1,355, A. A. Fyfe,

15th Sept.,—Java 21st August, Sugar.—Jar-dine, Matheson & Co. CATTERTHUN, British steamer, 1,406, J. W. B. Darke, 16th Sept., -Sydney 28th August, Keppel Bay 1st Sept., Townsville and, Cairns 3rd, Cooktown 3rd, and Thursday Island, General.—Russell & Co. CHINA, German steamer, 648, F. Bruhn, 17th

Sept.,-Deli 6th Sept., Ballast.-Melchers CHOWFA, British steamer, 1,057, F. W. Phillip, 15th Sept.,-Bangkok 6th Sept., General.-

Yuen Fat Hong. DIAMOND, British steamer, 1,030; J. Wilson; 12th Sept.,-Amoy 10th Sept., General.-Ban Moh. FALKENBURG, German steamer, 988, T. Bartels, 17th Sept., -Saigon 11th Sept., General. -

Melchers & Co. FAME, British steamer, 117, A. Stopanl-Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. FREJR, Danish steamer, 397, C. Lund, 17th Sept.,-Iloilo 13th Sept., Timbers.-Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

HAITAN, British steamer, 1,183, T., G. Pocock,

18th Sept.,-Foochow 15th Sept., Amoy 16th, and Swatow 17th, General.-D. Lapraik & Co. MARIE, German steamer, 704; C. Hundewadt, 15th Sept.,-Haiphong 12th Sept., Rice and General .- A. R. Marty.

METAPEDIA, British steamer, 1,453, J. B. Purvis, 18th Sept., -- Singapore 11th Sept., General. -Russell & Co. NESTOR, British steamer, 1,267, Elder, 15th Sept ,- Nagasaki toth Sept , Coal -- Butter-

NIZAM, British steamer, 1,615, J. F. Creery, 15th Sept ,-Yokobama 7th Sept., Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. PALAMED, British steamer, 1,489, C. Jackson, 16th Sept.,-Liverpool 3rd August, and

Singapore toth Sept., General.—Butterfield PROT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopani.-'Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co. TAILTE, German steamer, 828, Schuldt, 12th Sept. - Wladivostock 4th Sept., Timber. -

SAILING VESSELS.

Wieler & Co.

ALICIA, Hawaiian bark, 607, J. Brodhurst, 16th August,-Albany, West Australia, 10th July, Sandanwood.-Order. AMPHITRITE, German ship, 1,814, A. Bowept,

1 th July,-Cardiff 6th March, Coal.-Order. AUSTRALIA British bark, 9'9, Wm. Harris, 11th June,-Manila 31st May, Ballast .- Order. CHARGER, American ship, 1,379, D. S. Goodellyn, 28th June,—San Diego, Cal., 18th April,

COMST, German ship, 1,663, R. Krippner, 21st July .- Cardiff 15th March, Coals .- Melchers & Co. CONQUEROR, American ship, 1,540, A.D. Lothrop, 17th June, -Anjer 1st June, Ballast .-

Ballast .- Russell & Co.

Reuter, Brockelmann & Co. ERIKORNIG, Chinese bark, 457, Opium Examination hulk, Stonecutters' Island. - Chinese GOLIAH, Siamese bark, 542, Jas. Kent, 16th

August, -Bangkok and August, Rose Wood. GUSTAV OSCAR, German bark, 1,352, M. Leemann, 4th July,-Cardiff 25th Feb., Coal,-Melchers & Co.

HARVEST QUEEN, British ship, 2,020, E. A. Forsyth, 16th August,-New York, and Singapore and August, Kerosene Oil. Russell & Co. HAVDN BROWN, British bark, B21,- C. H.

Havener, 21st July, -Iloilo 12th July, Ballast and Sapanwood.—Captain. IRENE, American brig, 467, James W. Yates, 11th July,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 10th May, Coal-Geo. R. Stevens & Co. JOSEPHUS, American ship, 1,470, T. M. Rogers,

13th June,- Newcastle, N.S.W., 16th April, Coals. - Butterfield & Swire. KITTY, British bark, 802, H. Wilson, 30th Aug., -Portland, Oregon oth July, Lumber.-D.

Musso & Co. LADY HAREWOOD, British bark, 382, Williams, 15th Sept., -Honolulu 24th July, General. -

MAUNA LOA, British bark, 1,071, A. Douglas, 28th August, -Saigon 21st August, Ballast. -Siemssen & Co. OMEGA, British bark, 460, Brown, 2nd August, -Yokohama 4th June, Ballast .- Order.

13th. Had light winds and rainy weather to REPORTER, American ship, 1,286, J. Spalding. 30th August,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 11 July, Coal,-Order.

N.S.W., 19th June, Coal, - Adamson, Bell SAM MENDEL, British bark, 1,017, D. Gower, 28th August,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 6th July, Coal.—Wieler & Co.

SEA WITCH, American ship, 1,289, Chas. H. to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.
Tabbots,—Newcastle, N.S.W., May 21st,
D. G. Coal.—Captain. IGILANT, American ship, 1,723, Wm. H. Gould, and July,-Amoy 30th June, Kerosene Oil.—Russell & Co.

#### RIVER STEAMERS.

Fatshan, British steamer, 2,260, S. W. Goggin -Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Hankow, British steamer, 2,235, Lloyd,-

Butterfield & Swire. Ho-nam, Britishsteamer, 1,377, G.B. Lefavour,-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co. Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. -Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Ster mboat

Pasig, Chinese steamer, 284, J. W. Stavers .-Tok Kee (laid up for repairs). Kiang-ping, Chinese steamer, 360, Holmes:--China Merchants S. N. Co. Powan, British steamer, 1,890, J. P. Hoyland,

-Hongkong Canton, & Macao Steam-boat White Cloud, British steamer, 527, W. J. Risby. -Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat

STEAMERS EXPECTED IN HONGKONG. "						
STEAMERS.	PROM. DATE DUE.		AGENTS.			
rt Augusta	Vancouver	September 20th	Adamson, Bell & Co. Butterfield & Swire.			
pan Ilona	Calcutta	September 23rd	D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. Siemssen & Co.			
	Marscilles	September 24th	Messageries Maritimes.			
y of Sydney						

#### STEAMERS LOADING IN HONGKONG.

DESTINATION.	VESSELS.	AGENTS.	DATE OF LEAVING
London, &c., via Suez Canal London, via Suez Canal Marseilles, via Saigon, &c. Havre, London, &c. Bremen, via Ports of Call. New York, via Suez Canal San Francisco, via Y'hama San Francisco, via Y'hama Vancouver, B.C., via K., &c. Port Darwin, &c. Sydney, Melbourne, &c. Straits, Colombo & Bombay Singapore, Batavia, &c. Yokohama, via Nag., &c. Tientsin Shanghai Shanghai, Hiogo, &c. Shanghai, Kobe, &c. Shanghai, via Amoy	Titan Iraouaddy Flintshire Bayern Albany City of Sydney Arabic Port Augusta Chingtu Catterthun Nizam Camorta Ancona Sungkiang Yangtsze Glengarry Oxus	Butterfield & Swire	About Sept. 28th. Sept. 25th, at 4 p.m. About Oct. 1st. Oct. 9th, at 1 p.m. Sept. 28th, at 1 p.m. Sept. 26th, at noon. September 22nd, Sept. 27th, at 4 p.m. Sept. 21st, at noon. Sept. 21st, at 3 p.m. Sept. 27th, daylight, To-morrow. Sept. 21st, at 4 p.m. About Sept. 21st, About Sept. 26th.
Swatow, Spore, Bangkok Swatow, Amoy, &c	Chow Fa	Yuen Fat Hong	To-morrow, at 6 p.m.
Coast Ports	rianan	Douglas Lapraik & Co	To-morrow, at 10 a.m

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Hongkong, 28th August, 1880. NOTICE.

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